In re Application of:

YOSHIKO IIDA ET AL.

Docket No. 00862.022465.

Examiner: S. D. Patel

Art Unit: 2621

Date: June 8, 2006

Application No.: 10/006,724

Filed: December 10, 2001

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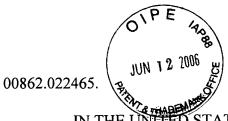
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 8, 2006, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows. The specification changes are at page 2, the changes to the claims are reflected in the listing that begins at page 3, and the Remarks begin at page 5.

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